

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re U.S. Patent Application of****AOKI****Application Number: 10/082,338****Filed: February 26, 2002****For: SEMICONDUCTOR LASER****Attorney Docket No. ASAM.0042****Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231****Art Unit 2828****Examiner
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DEC 16 2003****Unofficial****RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111****Sir:**

This is in response to the office action dated September 29, 2003, in the above identified application, the period for response is set to expire on December 29, 2003. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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